

**Pseudomyothyria ancilla** Walker—*Tachina ancilla*, Dipt. Saund., 299, is certainly this genus. *P. indecisa* Towns., described from Illinois, is probably only a subspecies of *ancilla*. *P. perplexa* Towns., measuring 3.5 mm., described from Peru, is nearly as small a species as *ancilla*, which measures 2.5 mm. This is not *Frontina ancilla* Coq., for which see the following.

**Frontiniella pararcilla** Gen. et sp. nov.

New name for *Frontina ancilla* Coq., 1897, Rev. Tach., 106 (nec Walker, Dipt. Saund., 299). Holotype, No. 21593 U. S. N. M.

Measures 4.5 to 5 mm. in length. Twenty specimens, both sexes, reared by Mr. H. G. Ingerson, Benton Harbor, Michigan, June and July, 1916; transmitted through Mr. W. R. Walton.

Differs from *Frontina* as follows:—Second antennal joint shorter in proportion to third joint. No discal macrochaetae on abdominal segments. Frontalia much narrower. Facialia not ciliate over about one-half way. Arista not so long, thickened on basal half only. Male front narrower. No median marginal macrochaetae on first abdominal segment. No decussate apical scutellar bristles in either sex.

The great disparity in size caused me to doubt Coquillett's determination of this species as *ancilla* Walker. Comparison of specimens of this and the preceding disclosed the fact that Walker's description fits *Pseudomyothyria* closely in structural details, such as length and thickening of arista, apical crossvein not bent in, fourth vein very obtuse at bend, third antennal joint linear and slender, etc., in all of which it disagrees with the present form, *Frontiniella*.

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A NEW GENUS OF LEPIDOPTERA ALLIED TO LEUCOPTERA  
HUBNER.

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**Paraleucoptera** gen. nov.

*Type: Cemlostoma albella* Chambers.

In 1902 (Jn. N. Y. Ent. Soc., Vol. X, pp. 98-99) Busck erected the genus *Proleucoptera* with *smilaciella* Busck as the type. He included in his new genus (*Cemlostoma*) *albella* Chambers calling attention, however, to its more advanced neuration. In the